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## NEWS RELEASE

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### Hartford Police Arrest East Hartford Man on Firearms Charges

Hartford, Conn. – On January 25, 2010, at approximately 8:55 p.m. Hartford Police Foot Patrol Officers Eric Logan and Officer James Newell were enforcing no trespassing/no loitering violations in the area of 154 Brook Street when they developed information about an armed party in the area. As Officers patrolled the area, they observed a male party place a plastic bag on ground. The officers retrieved the plastic bag and recovered two 40 ounce bottles of beer and a loaded Smith and Wesson .32 caliber revolver. The party, latter identified as **Nick White (11/13/78) of 160 Smith Drive, East Hartford** is a previously convicted of a felon who can not legally possess a firearm.

White was arrested and charged with Criminal Trespass 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree, Criminal Possession of a Firearm and Possession of a Pistol without a Permit. A bond in the amount of \$350,000.00 was ordered.



Nick White (11/13/78) of 160 Smith Drive, East Hartford, CT

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